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#14 "Solaris Destruction Plan (2)"

THIS IS THE MOMENT OF TRUTH!! MASSACRE THE DEMI!!
HUMANITY'S FATE RESTS ON THIS BATTLE!!!
SFX: GROWWWL
YEAHHH!!!

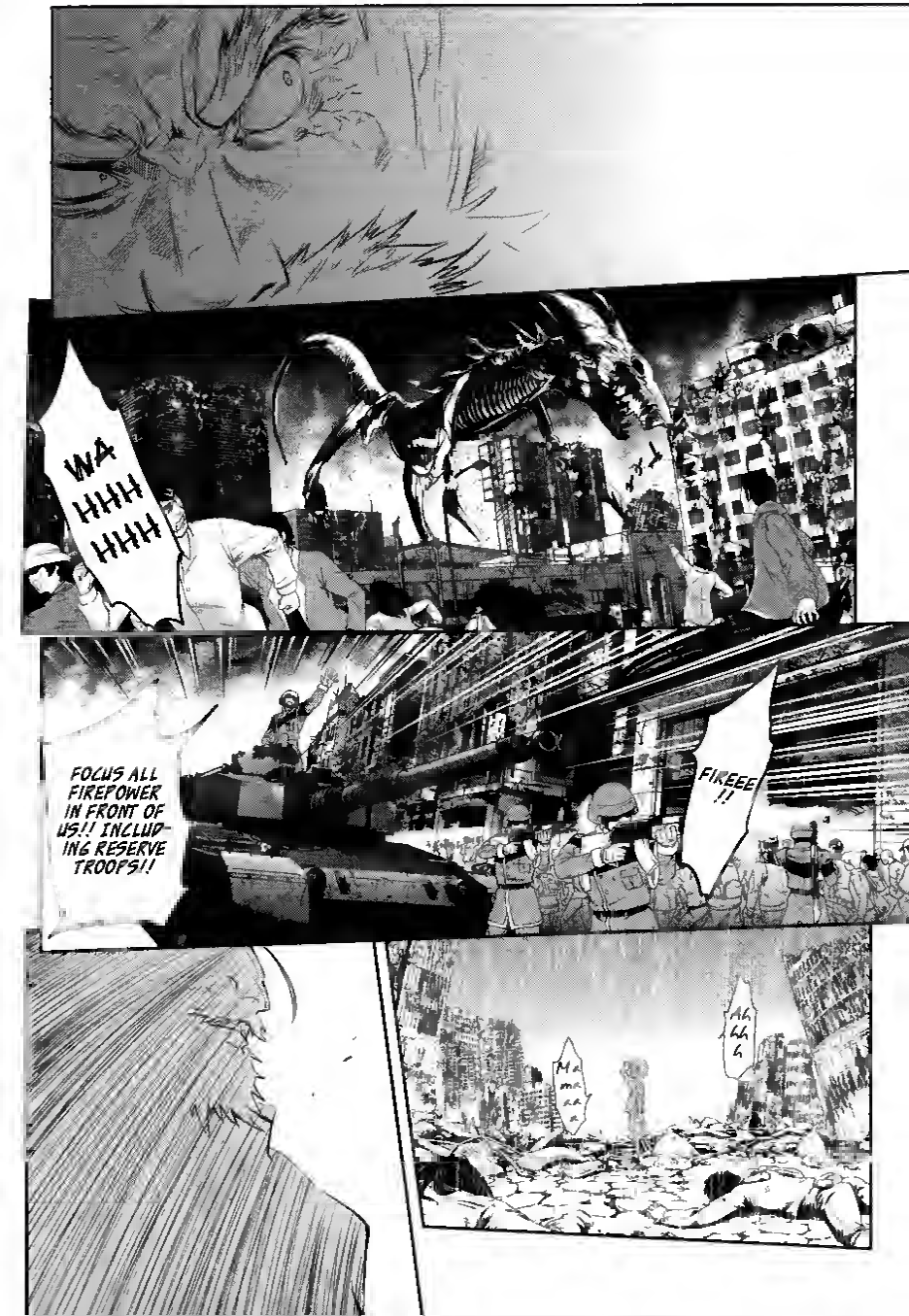
SFX BANG BANG BANG BANG BANG
!!
GN
SFX HISSSS
SON OF A BITCH ...!!
SFX SHWIP
WHOA!!
SFX BOOM
REM!!

SFX: KA-PEW
ACID BULLET!!
THIS IS WHAT'S...
KNOWN AS SWEEPING!!!
CLANG
LIKE HELL...!!
SFX: POW POW
POW POW POW
NO WAY YOU'RE KICKIN' THE BUCKET FROM SOMETHIN' LIKE THIS!!
WHAT'S WRONG, DEMI!!!
SFX: MELTING
AH
AH
AH

SFX DROPS DOWN
CORRECT
YOU'RE
!
SFX KER POW POW POW
CRA CKLE
THIS SHOULD END IT...
CRA CKLE
CRA CKLE
NOT TO LET MY GUARD DOWN!!
BUT MY GUT'S TELLING ME
ELECTRO WHIP!!!
SFX SQUEAKK
Tee hee hee hee!

SFX: ROAR
!!
Hey! That's dangerous!
NIDO!
HMM, IT'S NOT REALLY LIKE I HAVE ANY KIND OF RESENTMENT OR ANYTHING, BUT
I'D LIKE IT IF THIS MISSION SUCCEEDED
SFX: ROARING FIRE
TAP
BUT THE REAL PROBLEM FOR NOW IS
オォオオ
THAT, ISN'T IT?

WE'VE RECEIVED U7'S LOCATION DATA FROM INSIDE SOLARIS!!
SFX: CROWD
SFX: ROAR
STILL, THIS IS UN-ENDING!!
ESTIMATED TIME TO REACH SOLARIS' CENTER... IS 2 HOURS!!!
Heh!
SFX: TURNS
LISTEN, EVERYONE! FOR THE RE-MAINING TWO HOURS, PUT YOUR LIVES ON THE LINE TO PROTECT THE SUR...
THEY'VE GOT A FEW MOVES, DON'T THEY? THOSE U7 FOOLS!!


WA HHH HHH
FOCUS ALL FIREPOWER IN FRONT OF US!! INCLUDING RESERVE TROOPS!!
FIREEE!!
MAMAAA
AGGG

...HUH?
...BRING IT OUT

ARG
WWW
RG
WWW
KR (KING REVENGER) MK. 2!!
BRING IT OUT!
...THE GRADES CAN'T EVEN GO THAT HIGH.
Nido
THAT AIN'T EVEN A DEMI ANYMORE, IT'S MORE LIKE A MONSTROSITY.
...then I'm
No, I'm
In that case I'm up here
Yes, yes
HEY!
STEPS
URK
...MORE LIKE "7" OR "8" PERHAPS, DON'T YOU THINK?
HMM... THAT ONE SURPASSES THE MAX "5" DOESN'T IT?

HAA
AHHH
HH!!!
SFX BANG
Hey

SFX: SLIIIIIIIIIIDE
wh
ee
ze
hu
ff

SFX DASH
...FOR REAL?
THUD THUD
CAP-TAIN!!
SFX: WHOOOSH
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
...I'M FINE, IF I JUST REST A BIT... NOT A PROBLEM...
RATHER, WHAT'S THE SITU-ATION... YUAN
...R-ROGER!
.....
...LINK ESTAB-LISHED.
...DATA FROM THE DRONE RECEIVED.
SFX ROLLS ACROSS

1.7KM FROM THE WALL SURROUNDING THE CENTER OF SOLARIS.
SEARCHING FOR THE SHORTEST ROUTE TO THE CENTER,
CURRENTLY, IT HAS BEEN 4 HOURS AND 17 MINUTES SINCE THE BEGINNING OF THE INNER SOLARIS INVASION.
THE POINT WHERE WE ARE IS
SFX SCREEEEECH
...WE SHOULD RECEIVE A SIGNAL FROM THE SENT DRONES SOON...
U7-EX7000
BEEEP
— HERE IT IS, ROUTE PROBE COMPLETE.
YOU KNOW? THE LOCATION OF SOLARIS' CORE?
YES.
.....

SFX BZZZZ
points
SFX: ROAR
— INSIDE THAT "HOLE"
IS SOLARIS' CENTRAL "CORE".

...WHAT'RE WE DOIN', BOSS?
.....
THE ANSWER IS CLEAR
...AL-RIGHT!! LET'S GO, EVERY-ONE!!
YEAH!!
SFX: RUSH

...KUU
WHAT'S THE MATTER, Q-CHAN?
.....
Q JUST NOW THOUGHT I WAS CALLED
WHAT SILLINESS ARE YOU SPOUTING, IT'S JUST YOUR IMAGINATION.
MORE IMPORTANTLY, LOOK OVER THERE.

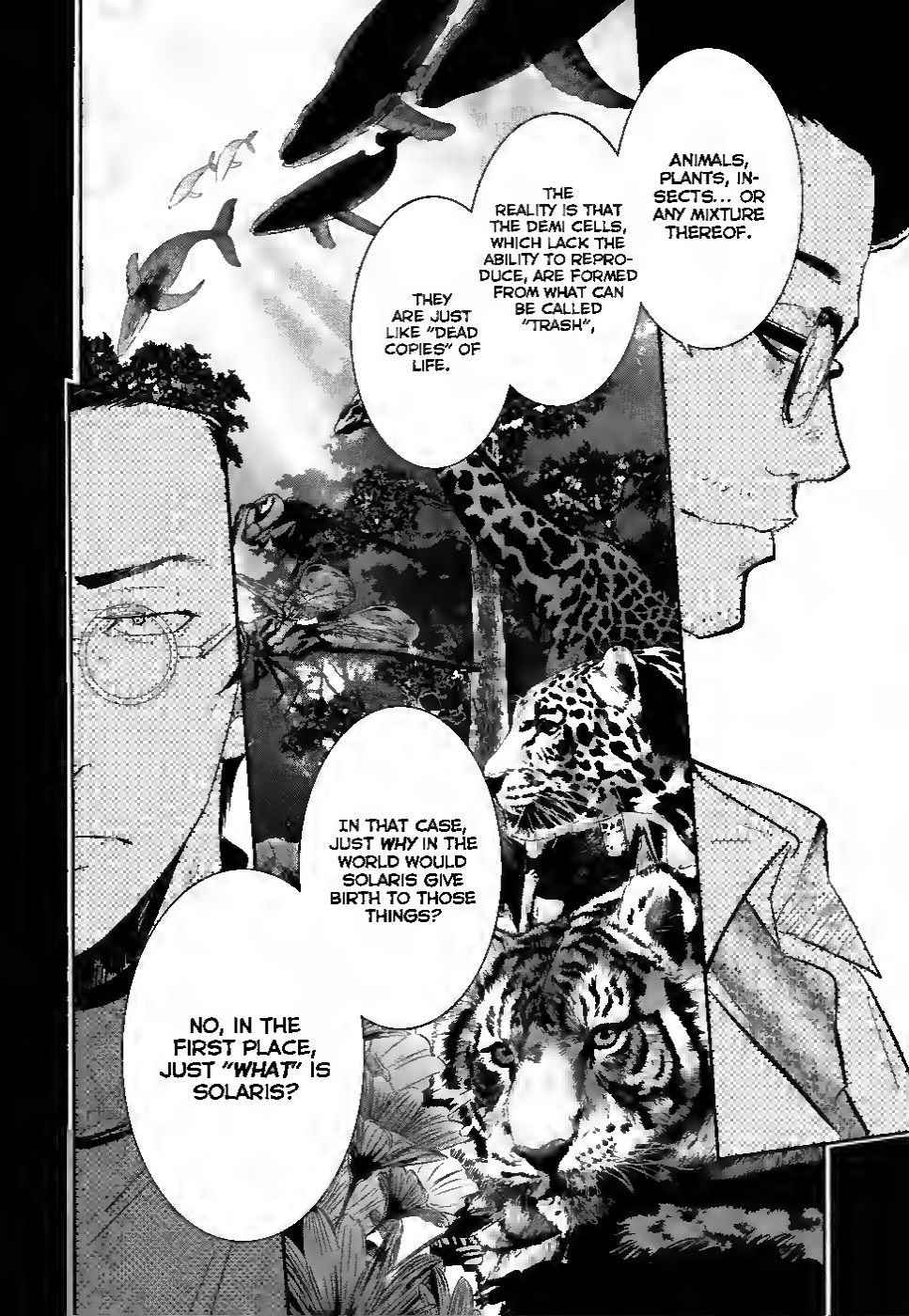
MAGNIFICENT VIEW, ISN'T IT,
THE END OF THE WORLD, THAT IS.
SFX: WOOOSH
SEEING SOMETHING LIKE THIS MAKES ME QUESTION WHAT THE POINT OF IT ALL IS.
...I TOO, BUILT MYSELF UP TO BE HIGHER THAN OTHERS BUT,
SFX: BA-BOOM BOOM
...THE THINGS THAT PEOPLE WORKED HARD TO BUILD UP... ARE SO EASILY KNOCKED DOWN.
WHAT JUST BLEW UP WAS A BUILDING OF CULTURAL HERITAGE, I BELIEVE.
LOOKS LIKE A LARGE-SCALE ONE IN THE NEARBY UPPER CITY.
LOOK, THERE'S A FIRE BUILDING UP NEARBY,
.....
SPARKLY
PRETTY
I COULD ALMOST LAUGH.
.....IT SURE IS,

scratch
scratch
WOW, I JUST CAN'T ANYMORE... HEY, SPEAKING OF, WANT SOME ALCOHOL, Q-CHAN?
JUST A GLASS—
...Q WAS
Q WAS
BORN TO "EAT"
SFX: FWOOSH
!
HEARING THAT VOICE EARLIER MADE ME REMEMBER
...Q'S
REASON FOR COMING TO THIS PLANET
...
Q-CHAN ...?

Q'S
TRUE "PURPOSE"

SFX: SKERCH
急カーブ注意！
VRRR
To イリヤ
発信中
VRRR
……
…TCH!
BEEP
IT WON'T CONNECT TO IRIYA…!
IT'S UNTHINKABLE BUT… I'VE GOT A NASTY HUNCH.

IN THE OFF CHANCE THAT DR. NARITA'S HYPOTHESIS IS TRUE...
SOLARIS ISN'T THE ENEMY OF MANKIND...?
...LET ME EXPLAIN.
...JUST WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
—BUT SAYING YOU UNDERSTOOD THAT FROM THE ANCIENT EGG,
THE "ITEM" EXISTS TO IDENTIFY LIFE FORMS;
THAT'S SOLARIS.
THE QUESTION FROM THE START HAS BEEN THE "MECHANISM" FOR THE LIFE FORMS KNOWN AS DEMI.


ANIMALS, PLANTS, INSECTS... OR ANY MIXTURE THEREOF.
THE REALITY IS THAT THE DEMI CELLS, WHICH LACK THE ABILITY TO REPRODUCE, ARE FORMED FROM WHAT CAN BE CALLED "TRASH",
THEY ARE JUST LIKE "DEAD COPIES" OF LIFE.
IN THAT CASE, JUST *WHY* IN THE WORLD WOULD SOLARIS GIVE BIRTH TO THOSE THINGS?
NO, IN THE FIRST PLACE, JUST *"WHAT"* IS SOLARIS?

I MANAGED TO COME UP WITH ONE HYPOTHESIS FOR THAT.
I WAS THINKING THAT SOLARIS IS ACTUALLY A "MACHINE MOVING THROUGH SOME UNKNOWN SYSTEM... OR PERHAPS EVEN A TOOL CREATED FOR SOME PURPOSE"...
AND THOSE "FUNCTIONS" ARE
"ANALYSIS OF CREATURES", "REARRANGEMENT AND CONVERSION OF MOLECULES", AND "THE CREATION OF COPIES".
...SOUNDS LIKE SOMETHING FAMILIAR, DOESN'T IT?
SLAPS
Tachi
...I WILL TAKE THAT AS A "YES".
SOLARIS ITSELF IS JUST A SINGLE "SCIENCE LAB"... OR SOMETHING?
...BUT IF IT IS A LAB, THEN THERE MUST BE SOME SORT OF "OWNER"... MANAGING THINGS.
YEAH, OF COURSE THERE IS.... WELL, "THERE WAS", WOULD BE MORE CORRECT.

WHAT WE DISCOVERED ALONGSIDE THE EGG
WAS MOST LIKELY THE "OWNER".
70 MILLION YEARS AGO...
"HE" CAME HERE TOGETHER WITH THE LABORA-TORY SOLARIS TO INVESTIGATE THE EARTH
.....

BUT IN THE MIDDLE OF HIS INVESTIGATION, HE WAS MET WITH A NATURAL DISASTER OF SOME KIND, MAYBE HE WAS EATEN BY A DINOSAUR OR SOMETHING.
UNFORTUNATELY, "HE" LOST HIS LIFE
...IN ANY CASE "HE" LEFT BEHIND THE MOST EVIL "PARTING GIFT" IN THE FORM OF SOLARIS.
JUST WHO WAS "HE", WHERE DID HE COME FROM, HOW DID HE DIE?
AND JUST WHY HAS SOLARIS BEEN REVIVED NOW, IN THIS ERA?
UNFORTUNATELY NONE OF US ARE ABLE TO KNOW ANY OF THESE THINGS.
...HOWEVER

THERE IS A CLUE THAT TIES THEM ALL TOGETHER,
THAT TOO, IS QUITE CLOSE BY.
ONE MORE EXISTENCE WHICH EXCEEDS THE UNDERSTANDING OF MANKIND, YOU SEE...
THIS COULDN'T POSSIBLY BE A COINCIDENCE, NOW COULD IT?
...YOU HAVE THE WRONG PERSON.
How shameless can you get.
WELL THEN, THIS HAS BEEN QUITE THE LONG VISIT
BUT I HAVE JUST REMEMBERED SOME URGENT BUSINESS THAT I MUST ATTEND TO.
CLAK
FINE, TAKE CARE.
...OH AND

I JUST HOPE I AM NOT TOO LATE.
SHE HAS NO REASON TO ALLY HERSELF WITH MANKIND WHATSOEVER.
THE EFFECTS OF THE SOLARIS DESTRUCTION PLAN MAY REACH HERE AS WELL...
BE SURE TO HURRY ON YOUR WAY BACK;
SFX: FWOOM
...TCH
...WELL, RATHER IF YOU LOOK AT IT FROM THE POINT OF A "DUTY", I SUPPOSE THEN
THE ACTION "SHE" WILL TAKE IS...

WHA...
COULD SHE BE...
THE ONE WHO ATE SHI-NOBU...!?
SFX: TMP
NO WAY... WHY IN THE WORLD IS SHE IN THIS KIND OF PLACE?
THIS IS INSIDE OF SO-LARIS...
HEY, REM!
DON'T YOU KNOW HER!? DOES SHE NOT UNDERSTAND SPEECH!?
SFX: TMP
YEAH, I'M THE ONE WHO WANTS TO KNOW THE MOST!
LIKE I THOUGHT FROM THE BEGINNING... YOU'RE ACTUALLY MY GODDAMN ENEMY, AIN'T YA?

SFX: WOOSH
ANSWER ME!! Q!!

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THEN WHY NOT RECRUIT SOME MORE?
WE'RE TRYING BUT IT DOESNT DO ANY GOOD WHEN NO ONE APPLIES
UH SIR? I'M SORRY, BUT WE'RE LOW ON STAFF.
DAMMIT! WHERE ARE THOSE NEW CHAPTERS?!
ARE YOU FREAKING SERIOUS?
MANGA
FIST SLAM
WELL UH, YES ACTUALLY

IT'S SUCH A PITY TOO WE HAVE SO MANY LOVELY PROJECTS THAT ARE JUST DYING FOR STAFF
Hug me
hold me
Love me♥
!
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WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME LIKE THAT?
?
THIS GUY'S WEIRD STILL, MAYBE I SHOULD VOLUNTEER AND HELP SPEED UP THEIR RELEASES
STARE
IT'S KIND OF CREEPING ME OUT

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